## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO WESTERN DIVISION AT CINCINNATI

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff, : Case No. 1:18-cr-135

Also Case No. 1:22-cv-326

-VS-

District Judge Susan J. Dlott

WAYNE CUSIMANO, Magistrate Judge Michael R. Merz

Defendant. :

## ORDER ADOPTING REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The Court has reviewed the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge Michael R. Merz (ECF No. 53), to whom this case was referred pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b), and noting that no objections have been filed thereto and time for filing such objections under Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b) has expired, hereby ADOPTS said Report and Recommendation.

Accordingly, it is hereby ORDERED that Defendant's Motion to Vacate under 28 U.S.C. § 2255 (ECF No. 51) is dismissed with prejudice as to Grounds One and Two and without prejudice as to Ground Three. Defendant is DENIED a certificate of appealability and the Court hereby certifies to the United States Court of Appeals that an appeal would be objectively frivolous and therefore should not be permitted to proceed in forma pauperis.

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Pursuant to Fed.R.Civ.P. 58, the Clerk shall enter judgment to this effect.

July 27, 2022.

Susan J. Diott

United States District Judge